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Case Docket No.: MED-8 CIP

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor: Alan Chervitz et al
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR OTHOPEDIC FIXATION

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 26 sheets of drawings.
- ☐ An assignment of the invention to: _____
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status.
- ☐ _____

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